

Docket No.: 060188-0099



**PATENT**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of : Customer Number: 20277  
Hiroki HACHIYAMA, et al. : Confirmation Number: 8913  
Application No.: 09/963,551 : Group Art Unit: 2624  
Filed: September 27, 2001 : Examiner: James Thompson  
For: IMAGE PROCESSOR :

**REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION**

Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated February 22, 2006, having a three-month shortened statutory period for response set to expire on May 22, 2006, and the petition for a one-month extension of time up to and including June 22, 2006 being filed concurrently herewith, reconsideration of the above-identified application is respectfully requested in view of the following remarks.